METROPOLITAN AREA ACQUISITION PROGRAM REVIEW

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement held a hearing on "Ensuring Program Goals are Met: A Review of the Metropolitan Area Acquisition Program." Testimony was heard from Linda Koontz, Associate Director, Government-wide and Defense System Information Systems, GAO; Sandra Bates, Commissioner, Federal Technology Service, GSA; Commander Robert Days, USCG, Commanding Officer, Coast Guard Electronic Support, Boston, Department of Transportation; Louis DeFalaise, Acting Director, Executive Office, U.S. Attorneys, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

ILSA EXTENSION ACT

Committee on International Relations: Began markup of H.R. 1954, ILSA Extension Act of 2001.

Will continue June 20.

U.S. POLICY—EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on Europe held a hearing on U.S. Policy in the Eastern Mediterranean: Managing the Turkey, Cyprus Triangle. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

BROADBAND LEGISLATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported unfavorably H.R. 1542, Internal Freedom and Broadband Deployment Act of 2001.

A motion to report H.R. 2120, Broadband Antitrust Restoration and Reform Act, failed.

NATIONAL SCIENCE EDUCATION ACT; NATIONAL MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE PARTNERSHIPS ACT

Committee on Science: Ordered reported, as amended, the following bills: H.R. 100, National Science Education Act; and H.R. 1858, National Mathematics and Science Partnerships Act.

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK AND SMALL BUSINESS EXPORTERS

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing on How Does the Export-Import Bank Help Small Business Exporters. Testimony was heard from D. Vanessa Weaver, member, Board of Directors, Export-Import Bank of the United States; and public witnesses.

FAA OPERATIONAL EVOLUTION PLAN

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on STARS Deployment Update and Review of FAA Operational Evolution Plan. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Monte R. Belger, Acting Deputy Administrator; and Steven Zaidman, Associate Administrator, Research and Acquisitions, both with the FAA; and Alexis M. Stefani, Assistant Inspector General, Auditing; and public witnesses.

GSA'S CAPITAL INVESTMENT PROGRAM

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management held a hearing on GSA's Fiscal Year 2002 Capital Investment Program. Testimony was heard from Joseph Moravec, Commissioner, Public Buildings Service, GSA; and Jane R. Roth, Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, 3rd Circuit.

ENERGY TAX

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures continued hearings on the effect of Federal tax laws on the production, supply and conservation of energy. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Special Committee on Aging: to hold hearings to examine the prevalence and risk of elder abuse, neglect and exploitation, potential and available services and the role of the Federal Government in addressing these problems, 9:30 a.m., SD–562.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Health and Human Services, 2 p.m., SD–138.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Sub-committee on Investigations, to hold hearings to examine the nature and scope of cross border fraud, focusing on the state of binational U.S.—Canadian law enforcement coordination and cooperation and what steps can be taken to fight such crime in the future, 9:30 a.m., SD–342.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Business meeting to consider the nomination of Gordon H. Mansfield, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Congressional Affairs; to be followed by a hearing to examine the impact of the nursing shortage on the Department of Veteran Affairs, 10 a.m., SR–418.

House

Committee on Appropriations, to mark up the following: Report on the Suballocation of Budget Allocations for fiscal year 2001; and a Supplemental Appropriations bill for Fiscal Year 2001, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Armed Services, Special Oversight Panel on Terrorism, hearing on the role of the Department of Defense in combating terrorism and force protection lessons learned since the attack on the U.S.S. Cole, 1 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Research and Development, hearing on Ballistic Missile Defense testing, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing on "Making Sense of OSHA Rulemaking: A 30 Year Perspective," 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Health, hearing on "Medicare Reform: Modernizing Medicare and Merging Parts A and B," 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet, hearing on "Ensuring Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems: A Progress Report," 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises, hearing entitled "Analyzing the Analysts: Are Investors Getting Unbiased Research from Wall Street?" 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs, hearing on "Gasoline Supply-Another Energy Crisis?" 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans' Affairs, and International Relations, hearing on "Hepatitis C:

Screening in the VA Health Care System," 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on House Administration, hearing on Constitutional Perspectives of Campaign Finance Reform, 11 a.m., 1310 Longworth.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Courts, the Internet and Intellectual Property, to mark up H.R. 2047, Patent and Trademark Office Authorization Act of 2002, 12 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Crime, to continue oversight hearings on "Fighting Cyber: Crime: Efforts by Private Business Interests," 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans, oversight hearing on ecosystem-based fishery management and the reauthorization of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, 9:30 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Science, Subcommittee on Energy, to continue hearings on the Administration's National Energy Policy: Hydrogen and Nuclear Energy R&D legislation, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards, hearing on the Future of the Advanced Technology Program, 11 a.m., 2325 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Human Resources and the Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures, joint hearing on H.R. 7, Community Solutions Act of 2001, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.